

MAIL STOP AF – EXPEDITED HANDLING REQUESTED

Case No: PITLP101USA

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Nelson Douglas Pitlor
Serial No: 10/007,509
Filing Date: December 5, 2001
Title: REMOTELY ATTACHABLE AND SEPARABLE COUPLING
Examiner: Todd M. Epps
Art Unit: 3632

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED February 9, 2005

Mail Stop AF

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the amendments below that have been made after discussion thereof in a personal interview with Examiner Todd M. Epps and Alfred J. Wujciak on June 22, 2006, and a telephone interview with them June 26, 2006, and in view of the following comments.

Petition For Extension Of Time is requested with this filing.